Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 23 Jun 2023 until 23:59 on Saturday 24 Jun 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 22 Jun 2023 at 14:36

Confidence: High confidence in the general outlook becoming increasingly warm, but lower confidence for details and timing of rain or showers in the west into the weekend.

Headline for Friday 23 Jun 2023: Generally cloudy with patchy rain in the west later.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 23 Jun 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain	Light rain	Light rain
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	10%	20%	40%	40%	40%

Forecast for Friday 23 Jun 2023

Weather: Any early mist soon clearing, leaving a fine and bright start. Becoming increasingly cloudy through the morning, with outbreaks of patchy rain and drizzle through the afternoon and into the evening, although staying dry for most. Becoming breezy through the afternoon.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 60%, increasing to 80% through the morning. Decreasing to 40% by early evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Early mist or fog may briefly cover slopes and tops as it lifts and clears after dawn. Any cloud during the morning will be mostly above highest summits, but may briefly fall to cover tops above 700m. Cloud will gradually lower through the afternoon with bases around 400-600m by early evening. Generally good visibility, although poor in any early mist, and during any rain or drizzle during the afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	5/8 W	8/11 SW	10/15 SW	14/20 SW	17/24 SW	20/29 SW	16/23 SW	18/25 SW	18/26 SW
300	4/9 W	5/11 SW	5/12 SW	10/18 SW	12/23 SW	14/27 SW	11/22 SW	12/23 SW	12/24 SW
Valley	4/9 W	4/10 SW	4/11 SW	8/16 SW	11/23 SW	13/26 SW	10/21 SW	10/21 SW	10/21 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	12/12	12/10	12/11	14/11	15/12	16/12	15/12	14/11	14/11
300	13/13	13/12	15/14	17/15	18/16	19/16	17/15	16/14	16/14
Valley	14/13	13/13	15/15	17/16	19/17	19/17	17/16	16/15	16/15
Freezing Level*	2400m	2300m	2300m	2500m	3000m	3300m	3400m	3400m	3300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

In any sunny spells during the morning, UV will be moderate or high, so adequate sun protection may be required. Outbreaks of patchy rain and drizzle during the afternoon may make some routes slippery, and waterproof clothing is advised.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Wed 21 Jun 2023	0.4mm	5.6mm	7.8mm

Forecast for Saturday 24 Jun 2023

Weather: After a grey start, with patchy rain and drizzle at times, cloud will gradually lift and break through the morning, leaving a dry and bright afternoon with sunny spells. Some patchy mist and fog may form in valleys overnight.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly, 25-30 mph, with gusts up to 35 mph. Decreasing to 10-15 mph with gusts up to 20 mph by the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 40% increasing to greater than 95% through the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Cloud during the morning will have bases down to 300-400m, but will gradually lift and break up, with any scattered cloud during the afternoon above all summits. Poor visibility during low cloud during the morning, but will improve to good or very good into the afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 15 Celsius, rising to Plus 24 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 12 Celsius, rising to Plus 19 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above all summits.

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